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Serial No.: 09/991,801 :

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For: A Stabilization System for Improving the Melt Viscosity of Polypropylene During  
Fiber Processing

## RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on March 28, 2003, in the subject application,

Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of  
this paper.

Remarks and Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

Authorization and Petitions begin on page 11 of this paper.